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Serial No.: 09/937,477)	Group Art Unit: 1641
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For: SPECIFIC BINDING ASSAY FOR DOCOSAHEXAENOIC ACID

**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME,
AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND
REQUEST FOR CHANGE OF ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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Sir:

PETITION

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") Non-final Office Action mailed on April 7, 2005 in the above-captioned application ("the Application"). Accordingly, Applicants respectfully requests that the time for response be extended up to and including September 7, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to debit \$225.00 from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206 to cover the small entity two-month extension of time fee.

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AMENDMENT

Please amend the Application as set forth below and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.